

Appendix "A"

"lock"

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Unabridged (1986), p. 1328

lock \ˈlɒk n -s [ME *lok*, fr. OE *loc*; akin to OE *lūcan* to lock, close, OHG *loh* enclosure, prison, cave, opening, OHG *lūhhan* to close, ON *lok*, *loka* lock of a door, *lūka* to close, Goth *galūkan* to enclose, *usluk* opening, OE *locc* lock of hair — more at 'LOCK] **1 a** : a fastening (as for a door, box, trunk lid, drawer) in which a bolt is secured by any of various mechanisms and can be released by inserting and turning a key or by operating a special device (as a combination, time clock, automatic release button, magnetic solenoid)